

**United States Court of Appeals**  
**FOR THE EIGHTH CIRCUIT**

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No. 98-4003

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Peter Andrew Ruston; Philip Ruston;  
Worldmaster, Inc.,

Appellants,

v.

United States of America, U.S.  
Department of State, Madeleine  
Albright, in her official capacity as  
Secretary of State; Immigration and  
Naturalization Service, Doris  
Meissner, in her official capacity as  
Commissioner,

Appellees.

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Appeal from the United States  
District Court for the Eastern  
District of Arkansas.

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Submitted: June 15, 1999  
Filed: June 21, 1999

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Before BOWMAN, HEANEY, and FAGG, Circuit Judges.

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PER CURIAM.

Peter Andrew Ruston, Philip Ruston, and Worldmaster, Inc. appeal the district court's adverse rulings that it lacked subject matter jurisdiction to consider their immigration-related claims against the Department of State and the Immigration and

Naturalization Service and denying their request for attorney fees under the Equal Access to Justice Act. Having carefully reviewed the record and the parties' submissions, we agree with the district court's rulings. We thus affirm on the basis of the district court's memorandum opinion and order without further discussion. See 8th Cir. R. 47B.

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